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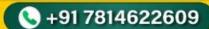
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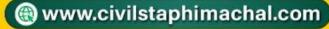
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NATIONAL PRACTICE MCQS

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- 1. India's largest floating Solar Power Project is now fully operational in which State?
- A. Himachal Pradesh
- B. Telangana
- C. Gujrat
- D. Mizoram

ANSWER: B

- 2. Which State has launched the Knowledge Economy Mission project to provide jobs to 20 lakh educated unemployed?
- A. Kerala
- B. Tamil Nadu
- C. Karnataka
- D. Odisha

ANSWER: A

- 3. Consider the following statements about Open network for digital commerce (ONDC):
- 1. It is a set of standards for voluntary adoption by sellers or logistics providers or payment gateways.
- 2. The initiative is aimed at curbing the dominance of two large multinational e-commerce players which control more than half of the country's e-commerce trading.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2.
- C. Both 1 & 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2

ANSWER: C

- 4. Consider the following statements about the latest report of the National Statistical Office.
- 1. The percentage share of the youth population (15-29 years) who are never married has shown an increasing trend in the male population from 20.8 per cent in 2011 to 26.1 per cent in 2019.
- 2. In 2019, the highest percentage share of youth population who are never married have been observed in the States/UTs of Jammu & Kashmir followed by Uttar Pradesh, Delhi and Punjab
- 3. The lowest have been observed in the States/UTs of Kerala, Tamil Nadu, Andhra Pradesh, Himachal Pradesh and Madhya Pradesh.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 2
- B. Only 1
- C. Only 2 & 3
- D. 1, 2 and 3

ANSWER: D

- 5. Consider the following pairs:
- 1. SPRINT- Supporting Pole-Vaulting in R&D through iDEX, NIIO and TDAC).
- 2. NIIO- Naval Innovation and Indigenisation Organisation.
- 3. SAGAR- Security and Growth for All in the Region.

How many pairs given above are correctly matched?

- A. Only one pair
- B. Only two pairs
- C. All three pairs
- D. None of the pair

ANSWER: C

6. Consider the following statements:

1. 'DIGI YATRA' is an initiative designed to ensure contactless, seamless processing of passengers at airports and is based on facial recognition technology (FRT).

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2. The Digi Yatra Foundation (DYF) was established as a joint venture (JV) firm in 2019.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1& 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2.

ANSWER: C

- 7. Recently, Lok Sabha has received a proposal from which State for renaming the State in three languages?
- A. West Bengal
- B. Assam
- C. Telangana
- D. Andhra Pradesh

ANSWER: A

- 8. The largest numbers of Indians who relinquished Indian citizenship in 2021 went to which Country?
- A. The United States
- B. Australia
- C. Canada
- D. The United Kingdom

ANSWER: A

- 9. What is the name of India's first passenger drone?
- A. Varuna
- B. Nishant
- C. Vahak
- D. None of these

ANSWER: A

10. Consider the correct statement about Digital Jyot.

- A. It is related to digital Banking.
- B. It is related to e-learning platform for higher education courses.
- C. It is related to paying digital tributes to freedom fighters.
- D. None of these

ANSWER: C

11. Consider the correct statement:

1. The display, hoisting and use of the Indian national flag is ruled by the Flag Code of India, 2002 and the Prevention of Insults to National Honour Act, 1971.

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2. The National Flag may be flown day and night according to the recent amendment in Flag Code of India, 2002.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1 & 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2

ANSWER: C

12. The First WHO's Global Centre for Traditional Medicine to be established in which State/UT?

- A. Himachal Pradesh
- B. Haryana
- C. Gujarat
- D. Jammu and Kashmir

ANSWER: C

13. The National Anti-Doping Agency (NADA) was set up as registered society in which year?

- A. 1999
- B. 2000
- C. 2003
- D. 2005

ANSWER: D

14. Consider the following statements:

1. International Thermonuclear Experimental Reactor (ITER) is a collaboration of 35 nations launched in 1985.

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2. India is the Member of ITER.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1 & 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2

ANSWER: C

15. Consider the following statements

- 1. The Government has launched the 17th agricultural census 2021-22.
- 2. Agriculture Census is conducted every 4 years.
- 3. For the first time, the data will be collected through smartphones and tablets.

Which of the following statements is/are incorrect?

- A. Only 1 & 2
- B. Only 2 & 3
- C. Both 1 & 3
- D. 1,2 and 3

ANSWER: A

16. The inaugural session of First All India District Legal Services Authorities Meet to be held at?

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- A. Mumbai
- B. Bengaluru
- C. Hyderabad
- D. New Delhi

ANSWER: D

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INTERNATIONAL PRACTICE MCQS

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- 1. Which Country announces 75 scholarships for Indian students on 75th year of Independence?
- A. Germany
- B. Iceland
- C. Canada
- D. United Kingdom

ANSWER: D

- 2. What is Partners in the Blue Pacific initiative (PBP)?
- A. It is a five-nation informal framework that aims to support Pacific islands and strengthen regional political and economic ties.
- B. The US, Australia, New Zealand, Japan, and the United Kingdom, have launched this initiative.
- C. The climate issue, connectivity and transportation, marine security and protection, health, prosperity, and education are among the sectors where PBP seeks to improve cooperation.
- D. All of the above

ANSWER: D

- 3. Recently, a high-level talk was held between which Countries, in order to activate a shorter and sanctions-proof route between Russia and India?
- A. Iran, India
- B. Spain, Italy
- C. Italy, India
- D. Russia, India

ANSWER: A

- 4. Recently, which Indian Army officer is appointed as Force Commander of UN South Sudan mission?
- A. Lt. Gen Amit Mishra
- B. Lt. Gen Subhag Singh
- C. Lt. Gen Shailesh Tinaikar
- D. Lt. Gen Mohan Subramanian

ANSWER: D

- 5. Consider the following statements:
- 1. The UK and India have established the Science and Innovation Council in 2020 to jointly undertake scientific projects.
- 2. The two countries launched the Climate Finance Leadership Initiative (CFLI) in September 2021 to support climate and green energy projects in India.
- 3. India-UK relations were elevated to a Comprehensive Strategic Partnership in 2021, based on a shared commitment towards democracy, fundamental freedoms and multilateralism.

Which of the following statements is/are incorrect?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 1 & 2
- C. Only 2 & 3

D. 1,2 and 3

ANSWER: A

- 6. Consider the following statements about the recent UN Report:
- 1. India projected to surpass China as world's most populous country during 2023.
- 2. More than half of the projected increase in global population up to 2050 will be concentrated in just eight countries of the Democratic Republic of the Congo, Egypt, Ethiopia, India, Nigeria, Pakistan, the Philippines and Tanzania.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1& 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2.

ANSWER: C

- 7. Recently, the Indian Film Festival of Melbourne has invited which cricketer to be the guest of honour?
- A. Sachin Tendulkar
- B. M.S. Dhoni
- C. Kapil Dev
- D. Rahul Dravid

ANSWER: C

- 8. Recently, which country has joined the NATO's program of technological cooperation
- A. Ukraine
- B. Denmark
- C. Czech Republic
- D. Hungary

ANSWER: A

- 9. Recently, which country has declared state of emergency after its President flees?
- A. Sri Lanka
- B. Maldives
- C. Venezuela
- D. Ethiopia

ANSWER: A

- 10. Recently, Ranil Wickremesinghe sworn in as interim President of which Country?
- A. Sri Lanka
- B. Maldives
- C. Mayanmar
- D. None of these.

ANSWER: A

11. Recently, the Chief Ministers of which States agreed to border realignment based on 1960 papers?

- A. Assam and Arunachal Pradesh
- B. Karnataka and Kerala
- C. Gujrat and Maharashtra
- D. Manipur and Nagaland

ANSWER: A

12. Recently, a Tribal body of which country has decided to ban women from visiting tourist spots?

- A. Rwanda
- B. Iraq
- C. Pakistan
- D. Sudan

ANSWER: C

13. Consider the following statements African Continental Free Trade Area (AfCFTA):

- 1. AfCFTA aims to create a single continental market for products and services, with free movement of people and capital.
- 2. It is headquartered in Accra, Ghana.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1& 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2.

ANSWER: C

14. Recently, which Country has launched a plan to rehabilitate southern Jordan River?

- A. Jordan
- B. Syria
- C. Israel
- D. Egypt

ANSWER: C

15. Which Country has launched its second space station module, Wentian?

- A. Japan
- B. Nort Korea
- C. South Korea
- D. China

ANSWER: D

16. Which Country has recently launched the gold coin as legal tender to control inflation and boost currency?

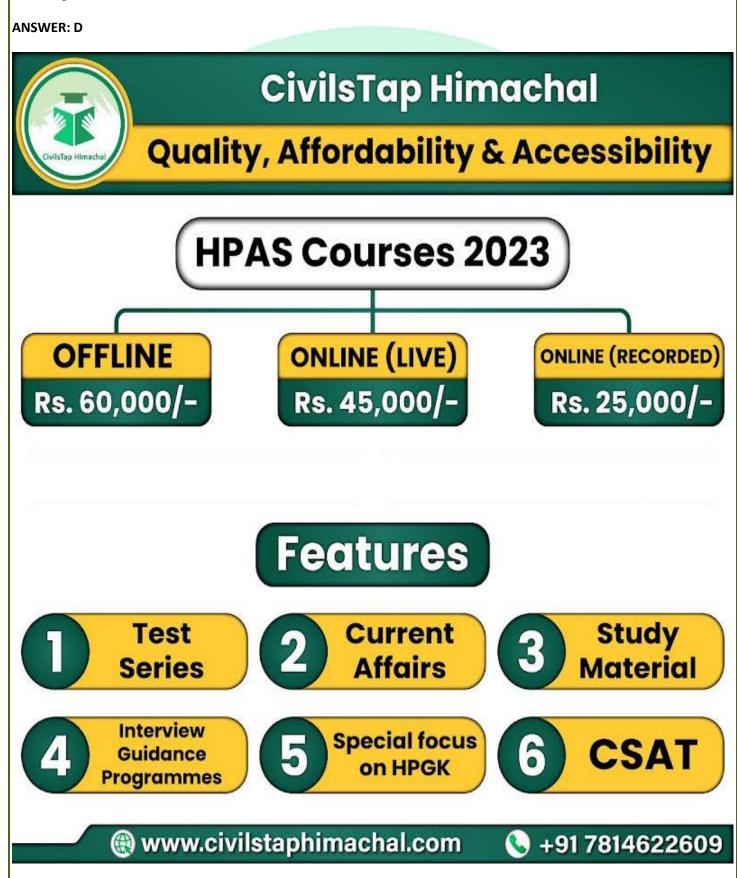
- A. Venezuela
- B. Bolivia
- C. El Salvador
- D. Zimbabwe

ANSWER: D

17. Recently, according to the census of which SAARC Country, women have outnumbered men?

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- A. Maldives
- B. Nepal
- C. Bhutan
- D. Bangladesh



DAYS TO REMEMBER PRACTICE MCQS

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1. Consider the following statements:

- 1. National Statistics Day is observed in India on June 29 each year.
- 2. The theme of National Statistics Day 2022 is 'Data for Sustainable Development'.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1& 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2.

ANSWER: C

2. Which one of following statements is incorrect?

- A. India celebrates National Doctor's Day on July 1.
- B. The theme (2022) for National Doctor's Day is "Family Doctors on the Front Line."
- C. Dr Vyom Banerjee is remembered on this day.
- D. The date changes from country to country.

ANSWER: C

3. World Zoonosis Day is observed on?

- A. 6th July
- B. 6th June
- C. 4th July
- D. 5th July

ANSWER: A

4. The National Fish Farmers Day is celebrated on?

- A. 10th July
- B. 11th July
- C. 11th June
- D. 10TH June

ANSWER: A

5. The World Brain Day is celebrated globally on?

- A. 21 July
- B. 22 July
- C. 23 June
- D. 24 August

ANSWER: B

6. Who is recently appointed as Chief Economist of World Bank?

- A. Carmen Reinhart
- B. Indermit Gill

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- C. Gary Becker
- D. Robert E. Lucas Jr.

ANSWER: B

- 7. World Nature Conservation Day is observed on?
- A. 28th July
- B. 29th July
- C. 30th July
- D. 31th July

ANSWER: A



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SCIENCE AND TEACHNOLOGY PRACTICE MCQS

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- 1. Consider the following statements:
- 1. NASA launches CAPSTONE mission to the moon.
- 2. The NASA researchers successfully launched CAPSTONE spacecraft to the moon from New Zealand.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1& 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2.

ANSWER: C

- 2. NTPC to set up a 10 GW Renewable Energy (RE) park in which State?
- A. Bihar
- B. Madhya Pradesh
- C. Karnataka
- D. Rajasthan

ANSWER: D

- 3. Consider the following statements:
- 1. Directorate General Defence Estates (DGDE) develops Al-based software to detect unauthorised constructions & encroachments on defence land.
- 2. This Detection Software has been developed by CoE-SURVEI in collaboration with Bhabha Atomic Research Centre (BARC), Visakhapatnam.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. C. Both 1& 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2

ANSWER: C

4. The researchers of which Institute have discovered a 'new material' that can convert infrared light into renewable energy?

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- A. IIT, Delhi
- B. JNCASR, Bengaluru
- C. IISc, Bengaluru
- D. IIT, Madras

ANSWER: B

- 5. TiHAN, India's first technology innovation hub on autonomous navigation facility launched at?
- A. IIT, Delhi
- B. IIT Hyderabad.

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Which of the following statements is/are incorrect?

A. Only 1B. Only 2C. Both 1& 2

D. Neither 1 nor 2.

ANSWER: D

11. Aircraft engine maker Pratt & Whitney will set up its first facility in Asia Pacific and fifth globally at which place?

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- A. Bengaluru
- B. Nashik
- C. Kanpur
- D. Ahmedabad

ANSWER: A

12. Consider the following statements:

- 1. Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO) is developing indigenous capabilities towards space tourism through the demonstration of human space flight capability to Low Earth Orbit (LEO).
- 2. The Indian National Space Promotion and Authorization Centre (IN-SPACe) is seeking to promote active participation of private sector in carrying out end-to-end space activities, which includes space tourism as well.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1& 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2.

ANSWER: C

13. Consider the following statements:

- 1. Recently, IIT-Jodhpur scientists find 'lithium free' battery option.
- 2. For the first time, they have devised a 'Calcium-Magnesium' made a battery.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1 & 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2

ANSWER: C

14. Recently, which telescope has found the oldest galaxy in the universe?

- A. James Webb Telescope
- B. The Hubble Space Telescope
- C. Spitzer Space Telescope
- D. Planck Telescope

ANSWER: A

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ECONOMY PRACTICE MCQS

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1. Consider the following statements:

- 1. The Eight core sectors are Coal, crude oil, natural gas, refinery products, fertiliser, steel, cement and electricity.
- 2. The output of eight core industries grew to a 13-month high of 18.1 per cent in May 2022.

Which of the following statements is/are incorrect?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1& 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2.

ANSWER: D

2. Consider the following statements:

- 1. SEBI was founded in 1988 and it was given statutory recognition in 1990.
- 2. Recently, SEBI imposed Rs. 7 crore penalty on National Stock Exchange.

Which of the following statements is/are incorrect?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1& 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2.

ANSWER: A

3. Consider the following statements:

- 1. GST Bill was first introduced in 2014 as the 122nd Amendment Bill.
- 2. The tax base has almost Tripled in the last five years from 6.63mn to over 19 mn.
- 3. The introduction of GST has simplified business processes, tax administration and compliances in India, that helped India in improving its rank in Ease of doing Business.

Which of the following statements is/are correct? s Tap Himachal

- A. Only 1& 2
- B. Only 2
- C. Only 1& 3
- D. 1,2 and 3

ANSWER: C

4. Consider the following statements about Debt-GSDP given by RBI:

- 1. Rajasthan, Kerala and West Bengal are projected to exceed the debt-GSDP ratio of 35 per cent by 2026-27, while Punjab is expected to cross 45 per cent.
- 2. Andhra Pradesh, Bihar, Rajasthan and Punjab exceeded both debt and fiscal deficit targets for 2020-21 set by the 15th Finance Commission.

Which of the following statements is/are incorrect?

A. Only 1

- B. Only 2
- C. C. Both 1& 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2

ANSWER: D

- 5. Consider the following statements about Purchasing Managers' Index (PMI):
- 1. A reading above 50 indicates contraction in activity, while a reading less than 50 is a sign of expansion.
- 2. Purchasing Managers' Index (PMI) rose to 59.2 in June, 2022 and It is the highest mark since April 2011.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1 and 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2

ANSWER: B

- 6. Which Company announced to launch Start-up School India for small-city entrepreneurs?
- A. Microsoft
- B. Google
- C. IBM
- D. TCS

ANSWER: B

- 7. Consider the following statements:
- 1. Recently, RBI sets up mechanism to settle trade transactions in Rupees.
- 2. It aims to promote growth of global trade with emphasis on exports from India and to support the increasing interest of global trading community in INR.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1 & 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2

ANSWER: C

- 8. Consider the following statements about the recent UN Report:
- 1. The Financial Stability Board (FSB) is a body of regulators, Treasury officials and central bankers from the Group of 20 (G-20) economies.

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2. The Financial Stability Board (FSB) would propose robust global rules for cryptocurrencies in October.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1& 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2.

ANSWER: C

- 9. The Global economic outlook report is published by which Organisation?
- A. IMF
- B. IBRD
- C. ADB
- D. UNDP

ANSWER: A

10. Consider the following statements:

- 1. Non-Fungible Token (NFT) can then be traded online using cryptocurrency.
- 2. The Dapper Cheetah Club, India's first community-driven Non-Fungible Token (NFT), has launched the first phase of its collection.

Which of the following statements is/are incorrect?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1& 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2.

ANSWER: D

11. Consider the following statements:

- 1. Recently, the Union govt. has amended the Legal Metrology (Packaged Commodities) 2011 Rules.
- 2. Recently, E-commerce companies fined over Rs 78 lakh for making false declarations.

Which of the following statements is/are incorrect?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1& 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2.

ANSWER: D

12. Recently, which Bank has launched the WhatsApp Banking Services to make banking easier for its customers?

- A. SBI
- B. NABARD
- C. SIDBI
- D. None of these

ANSWER: A

13. Consider the following statements:

- 1. Windfall taxes are imposed by a government against certain industries when they experience above-average profits due to economic conditions.
- 2. Recently, the government of India has scrapped a windfall tax on the export of petrol.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1 & 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2

ANSWER: C

14. Consider the following statements:

- 1. In the First phase, the Bullet train will cover 508 kilometres between Mumbai and Ahmedabad.
- 2. National High Speed Rail Corporation Limited (NHSRCL) is the Executing Agency of the Project.
- 3. Recently, Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) announced third tranche of Rs 6,000 crore for the Mumbai-Ahmedabad High-Speed Rail (MAHSR) project.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1 & 3
- B. Only 2 & 3
- C. Only 1 & 2
- D. D 1,2 and 3

ANSWER: D

15. According to a new report by IVCA-EY-IndusLaw, Electric Vehicles (EV) sales in India to cross 9 million units by?

- A. 2025
- B. 2026
- C. 2027
- D. 2028

ANSWER: C

16. Consider the following statements according to the Commerce and Industry Ministry:

- 1. FDI Equity inflow in manufacturing sectors have increased by 76 per cent in last financial year compared to 2020-21.
- 2. Karnataka with over 37 per cent and Maharashtra with over 26 per cent are the top two states in receiving highest FDI Equity Inflow.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1 & 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2

ANSWER: C

17. Consider the following statements

- 1. The Export Credit Guarantee Corporation of India (ECGC) has launched a new scheme to provide enhanced export credit risk insurance amid rising uncertainties in global trade.
- 2. SBI is the first to benefit from the new policy.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1 & 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2

ANSWER: C

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- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1 & 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2

ANSWER: C

19. Consider the following pairs:

| Index | | Country | | |
|-------|--------------------------|-------------|--|--|
| 1. | KOSPI | North Korea | | |
| 2. | Shanghai Composite index | China | | |
| 3. | Straits Times | Singapore | | |
| 4. | NIKKEI | Japan | | |
| 5. | DAX | Germany | | |

Which of the pairs given above are correctly matched?

- A. 1, 2 and 4
- B. 1, 3 and 4
- C. 2, 3, 4 and 5
- D. 1, 2 and 3

ANSWER: C

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DEFENCE PRACTICE MCQS

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- 1. Consider the following statements about PADMA in context with Indian Coast Guard.
- A. It is a naval exercise with Bangladesh Coast Guard.
- B. It is a Pay Roll Automation for Disbursement of Monthly Allowances.
- C. It is new warship equipment.
- D. It is an initiative taken by Coast Guard of both Nations to safeguard river Padma.

ANSWER: B

- 2. Consider the following statements:
- 1. Recently, ISRO successfully carried out the inaugural flight of the Autonomous Flying Wing Technology Demonstrator.
- 2. It is designed and developed by the Bengaluru-based Aeronautical Development Establishment (ADE).

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1& 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2.

ANSWER: B

- 3. India's Tejas light combat aircraft has emerged as the top choice for which Country?
- A. Malaysia
- B. Cambodia
- C. Vietnam
- D. Philippines

ANSWER: A

- 4. In an effort to achieve self-reliance in Defence manufacturing, which Defence force has proposed to develop and induct at least 75 new technologies or products in the coming year?
- A. Indian Airforce
- B. Indian Navy
- C. Indian Army
- D. Indian Coast Guard

ANSWER: B

- 5. What is the name of first indigenously built aircraft carrier in Indian Navy?
- A. Vikrant
- B. Vikramaditya
- C. Tarkash
- D. None of the above

ANSWER: A

6. Recently, Ministry of Defence sets target of Rs 1.75 crores of defence production by Year?

ANSWER: C

A. ISRO and BELB. ISRO and BDL

D. IISC and ISRO

C. DRDO and IIT, Kanpur

would help in fast-tracking the indigenisation of SDRs?

12. Recently, a Maritime Partnership Exercise (MPX) was conducted between which countries in the Andaman Sea?

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- A. Japan and India
- B. Australia and India
- C. South Africa and India
- D. UK and India

ANSWER: A

13. Recently, A trilateral meeting was held to discuss about the maritime security among which nations?

- A. India, France, UAE
- B. India, France, UK
- C. India, USA, UAE
- D. India, Japan, UAE

ANSWER: A

14. Recently, India's first Indigenous Aircraft Carrier 'Vikrant' is handed over to Navy by which shipbuilder/shipyard?

- A. Cochin Shipyard Limited, Kochi
- B. Mazagon Dock Limited, Mumbai
- C. Hindustan Shipyard Limited, Visakhapatnam
- D. Garden Reach Shipbuilders and Engineers, Kolkata

ANSWER: A

15. Recently, The Indian Air Force (IAF) has decided to retire a squadron of which aircraft?

- A. MiG-21 Bison
- B. MiG-29
- C. Sukhoi Su-30
- D. Mirage 2000

ANSWER: A

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SUMMITS PRACTICE MCQS

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1. Consider the following statements:

- 1. India-EU to hold next round of FTA talks at Brussels in September 2022.
- 2. Currently, the EU is India's 2nd largest trading partner after the US, and the second largest destination for Indian exports.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1& 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2.

ANSWER: C

- 2. India's first ever Animal Health Summit held recently in which State/UT?
- A. Kerala
- B. Karnataka
- C. New Delhi
- D. Bihar

ANSWER: C

- 3. Recently, Indian Navy's stealth frigate INS Tarkash conducted a Maritime Partnership Exercise with which Country?
- A. Egypt
- B. Indonesia
- C. South Africa
- D. Sudan

ANSWER: D

- 4. Consider the following statements:
- 1. India will launch first-ever 'Artificial Intelligence in Defence' (AIDef) symposium and exhibition in New Delhi.
- 2. The 75 newly-developed AI products/technologies, having applications in defence, will be launched, as part of the celebrations marking 75 years of Independence 'Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav' and to promote 'Aatmanirbharta' initiative in Defence.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1& 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2.

ANSWER: C

5. Recently, PM addressed a Natural Farming Conclave via video conferencing in which State?

- A. Sikkim
- B. Mizoram
- C. Gujrat
- D. Assam

ANSWER: C

6. The 2022 annual summit of the SCO Heads of State Council is to be held on September 15-16 in which country?

- A. China
- B. India
- C. Russia
- D. Uzbekistan

ANSWER: D

- 7. Consider the following statements:
- 1. India to participate in the first Leaders' Summit of I2U2.
- 2. India, Israel, the United Kingdom and the United States are member countries of I2U2.
- 3. Each country has Sherpa-level interactions regularly to discuss the possible areas of cooperation.

Which of the following statements is/are incorrect?

- A. Only 2
- B. Only 1
- C. Only 2 & 3
- D. 1, 2 and 3

ANSWER: A

- 8. The G20 finance leaders meet to be held in which Country?
- A. India
- B. Indonesia
- C. Italy
- D. Japan

ANSWER: B

- 9. Recently, the 13th Petersberg Climate Dialogue held in?
- A. Germany
- B. France
- C. Russia
- D. Finland

ANSWER: A

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POLICY AND PROGRAMME PRACTICE MCQS

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1. Consider the following statements:

- 1. The Dak Karma yogi, is an e-Learning portal of the department of posts.
- 2. The portal aims to enhance the competencies of Gramin Dak Sevaks for effectively delivering several G2C services.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1& 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2.

ANSWER: C

2. Which is the correct statement about Digital India Bhashini?

- A. It is a Start-up Platform, to discover, support, grow and make successful start-ups in Tier-II and Tier-III cities of India.
- B. It will enable easy access to the internet and digital services in Indian languages, including voice-based access, and help the creation of content in Indian languages.
- C. It is a service discovery platform facilitating access to Government Schemes.
- D. None of the above

ANSWER: B

3. Consider the following statements:

- 1. The 13th Edition of Toy Biz B2B (Business to Business) International Exhibition,2022 was held at Pragati Maidan, New Delhi.
- 2. The Toys bearing GI tag such as Chennapatna, Varanasi etc. are also being displayed.
- 3. The import of toys is down by 70% in the last three years.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1 & 2
- B. Only 2 & 3
- C. Only 1 & 3
- D. 1.2 and 3

ANSWER: D

4. Consider the following statements about the States Startup India Ranking 2021.

1. The states are divided into five categories: Best Performers, Top Performers, Leaders, Aspiring Leaders and Emerging Start-up Ecosystems.

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- 2. Gujarat and Karnataka have been awarded top performers.
- 3. Kerala, Maharashtra, Orissa and Telangana emerged as best performers.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

A. Only 1

- B. Only 2
- C. Only 2 & 3
- D. 1,2 and 3

ANSWER: A

5. Consider the following statements:

- 1. Plant Based Foods Industry Association (PBFIA), proposed the setting up of India's "first plant protein cluster" for the development of localised supply chain.
- 2. Plant based food market is expected to grow from ₹ 2,000 crores in 2022 to ₹ 40,000 crores by 2032.

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Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1& 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2.

ANSWER: C

6. Consider the correct statement about the PM GatiShakti Plan:

- A. It aims to increase the enrolment ratio in Skill Development Project.
- B. It aims to increase the production of Food grains in accordance with NFSA act.
- C. It is a National Master Plan for Multimodal Connectivity.
- D. None of the above

ANSWER: C

7. What is Mission Buniyaad?

- A. It is an initiative related to Pregnant women and Lactating Mothers.
- B. It is an initiative related to Environment Conservation and protection.
- C. It is an initiative related to MSMEs.
- D. It is an initiative related to bridge the learning gaps caused by COVID induced lockdowns in schools.

ANSWER: D

8. Which becomes the First state to launch semiconductor policy?

- A. Karnataka
- B. Haryana
- C. Gujarat
- D. Andhra Pradesh

ANSWER: C

9. Consider the following statements:

- 1. The UDAY scheme was launched on November 15, 2017, for operational and financial turnaround of the Power Distribution Companies (DISCOMs) owned by any state.
- 2. Prime Minister is set to launch the Ministry of Power's flagship Revamped Distribution Sector Scheme, which is aimed at improving the operational efficiencies and financial sustainability of the Distribution Companies (DISCOMs) and power departments.

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Which of the following statements is/are incorrect?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1 & 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2

ANSWER: A

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INDEXES AND REPORTS PRACTICE MCQS

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- 1. Consider the following statements:
- 1. According to a report by the Hurun Research Institute titled Hurun India Future Unicorn Index 2022, India is predicted to have 122 new unicorns in the following 2-4 years.
- 2. The report has divided would-be unicorns into groups Gazelles and Cheetahs.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1& 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2.

ANSWER: C

- 2. Consider the following statements about the 1st edition of 'State Ranking Index for National Food Security Act (NFSA).
- 1. Odisha has been adjudged the top ranked State followed by Uttar Pradesh at the 2nd spot and Andhra Pradesh at third amongst the General Category States.
- 2. Among the Special Category states/UTs, Tripura stood first followed by Himachal Pradesh and Sikkim respectively.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1& 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2.

ANSWER: C

- 3. According to recent published Report, how many percent of India's blue-collared employees earn below Rs 15K per month?
- A. Less than 65%
- B. Less than 55%
- ÇivilsTap Hlmachal C. Between 55% to 65%
- D. Above 65%

ANSWER: D

- 4. Recently, National Monuments Authority declared the Mangarh hillock as a monument of National Importance. The Mangarh hillock is in which State?
- A. Madhya Pradesh
- B. Gujarat
- C. Rajasthan
- D. Maharashtra

ANSWER: C

5. International Energy Agency report warns on which country's dominance of solar panel supply chain?

- A. USA
- B. Japan
- C. China
- D. France

ANSWER: C

6. Consider the following statements about Gender Gap Index, 2022:

- The Global Gender Gap Index benchmarks gender parity across four key dimensions or subindices economic participation and
 - opportunity, educational attainment, health and survival, and political empowerment.
- 2. India ranks 140 out of 146 Nations.
- 3. Iceland retained its place as the world's most gender-equal country, followed by Finland, Norway, New Zealand and Sweden.

Which of the following statements is/are incorrect?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Only 2 & 3
- D. Only 1 & 3

ANSWER: B

- 7. Consider the following statements about the National Institutional Ranking Framework (NIRF), 2022.
- 1. The ranking framework judges institutions under Five broad generic groups of parameters.
- 2. IIT Madras remains the best institute in the country.
- 3. All India Institute of Medical Science in Delhi is the best Medical College in India.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 2
- B. Only 1
- C. Only 2 & 3
- D. 1, 2 and 3

ANSWER: D

8. Consider the following statements according to the study published in the journal PLOS Global Public Health:

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- 1. The findings suggest that 70 per cent of districts (448 out of 640 districts) in India have reported MMR above 70 deaths a target set under Sustainable Development Goal.
- 2. The highest MMR is in Arunachal Pradesh (284) and the lowest in Maharashtra (40).

Which of the following statements is/are incorrect?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1& 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2.

ANSWER: D

- 9. Consider the following statements about the India Innovation Index:
- 1. It is released by NITI Aayog.
- 2. The states and the union territories have been divided into 17 'Major States', 10 'North-East and Hill States', and 9 'Union Territories and City States', for effectively comparing their performance.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1& 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2.

ANSWER: C

- 10. According to the UN report, which country was the top remittance recipient among low- and middle-income countries in 2021?
- A. India
- B. China
- C. Mexico
- D. Egypt

ANSWER: A

- 11. Consider the following statements:
- 1. Bureau of Indian Standards (BIS) is the National Standard Body of India established under the BIS Act 2016.
- 2. Bureau of Indian Standards established 1037 Standards Clubs in schools and colleges across India in 2021-22.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1 & 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2

ANSWER: C

12. Which PSU has signed a MoU with M/s Greenko ZeroC Private Limited (Greenko), to jointly pursue opportunities in Renewables, Green Hydrogen, Green Ammonia and other derivatives of green hydrogen?

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- A. ONGC
- B. NTPC
- C. BHEL
- D. BEL

ANSWER: A

ENVIRONMENT PRACTICE MCQS

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- 1. Consider the following statements:
- 1. UK has built a Forum satellite that will measure greenhouse effect.
- 2. Forum is an acronym that stands for Far-infrared Outgoing Radiation Understanding and Monitoring.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1& 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2.

ANSWER: C

- 2. Botanical Survey of India (BSI) rediscovered presumed extinct species Brachystelma attenuatum after a gap of 188 years in which State/UT?
- A. Himachal Pradesh
- B. Maharashtra (Western ghats)
- C. Jammu and Kashmir
- D. Mizoram

ANSWER: A

- 3. Consider the following statements:
- 1. India contributes to 9.1% of faunal diversity in the world.
- 2. Recently, India added 540 species to its faunal database in 2021 taking the total number of animal species to 1,03,258.
- 3. The most number of discoveries were made from Kerala followed by Maharashtra and Arunachal Pradesh.
- 4. Recently, Zoological Survey of India ((ZSI), observed its 107th foundation day.

Which of the following statements is/are incorrect?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. 1& 2 and 3
- D. Only 2 & 3

ANSWER: A

4. Recently, there was a collapse of Glacier in Alps of Europe. This disaster was happened in which country of Europe?

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- A. Switzerland
- B. Germany
- C. Italy
- D. Spain

ANSWER: C

5. Consider the following statements:

1. The Environment (Protection) Act (EPA) was enacted in 1981 with the objective of providing the protection and improvement of the environment.

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- 2. Recently, The Environment Ministry proposes to soften the provisions of the Environment Protection Act (EPA) by replacing a clause that provides for imprisoning violators with one that only requires them to pay a fine.
- 3. Under the current Act, the violators will be punishable with imprisonment up to five years or with a fine up to ₹1 lakh, or with both.

Which of the following statements is/are incorrect?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 1 & 2
- C. Only 2 & 3
- D. 1,2 and 3

ANSWER: A

- 6. Which State aims to grant all kinds of Forest Rights mentioned under Forest Right Act,2006 by 2024?
- A. Jharkhand
- B. Chhattisgarh
- C. Tamil Nadu
- D. Odisha

ANSWER: D

- 7. Consider the following statements:
- 1. Western Ghats passes through the states of Gujarat, Maharashtra, Goa, Karnataka, Kerala and Tamil Nadu.

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- 2. The Kasturirangan committee had recommended designating the entire region as Ecologically Sensitive Area (ESA) more than 1 lakh sq kms
- 3. Madhav Gadgil committee constituted soon after that had diluted it to about 50 per cent area. Which of the following statements is/are incorrect?
- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Only 2 & 3
- D. 1,2 and 3

ANSWER: C

- 8. Coffee Board to collaborate with which organisation to develop climate-resistant varieties?
- A. ISRO
- B. IISc
- C. CSIR
- D. None of the above

ANSWER: A

- 9. Consider the following statements about the recent UN Report:
- 1. A report released by the Intergovernmental Science-Policy Platform on Biodiversity and Ecosystem Services (IPBES) has stated that about 50,000 wild species globally can meet the needs of billions of people.

2. Wild species provide half of the world's seafood, a significant proportion of timber and energy, and remain a major source of protein, fiber and medicines for many communities in both developing and developed countries.

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Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1& 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2.

ANSWER: C

10. Consider the following statements about the recent health report by ASSOCHAM.

- 1. Air pollution is the topmost cause for the rising burden of non-communicable diseases (NCDs) like hypertension, diabetes, stroke, and chronic obstructive pulmonary disease in India.
- 2. The 76 percent of the population with NCDs is exposed to high air pollution.
- 3. It also suggests that nearly 29 per cent of the population is exposed to high levels of household pollution, while 20 per cent is exposed to air pollution at the workplace.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Only 2 & 3
- D. 1,2 & 3

ANSWER: D

11. Recently, which State has established the District Climate Change Missions in all districts?

- A. Kerala
- B. Tamil Nadu
- C. Karnataka
- D. Odisha

ANSWER: B

12. Consider the following statements about the Commission for Air Quality Management (CAQM):

- 1. It has included clean power and transport among the fundamentals to deal with air pollution in the National Capital Region (NCR) and adjoining areas.
- 2. An AQI of more than 450 is classified as "severe plus".

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2.
- C. Both 1 & 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2

ANSWER: C

13. Consider the following statements

- 1. UNESCO is located in Paris, France.
- 2. The Administration of Union Territory of Ladakh and the National Monuments Authority (NMA) has initiated steps to seek a declaration of the "Indus River" as an UNESCO World Heritage.

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Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1 & 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2

ANSWER: C

14. Consider the following statements:

- 1. A unique biodiversity sensor project is launched by Syngenta, a global agri-business major.
- 2. Syngenta has launched this project in collaboration with the Indian Institute of Technology, Ropar, (IIT-R).
- 3. This project will help in studying the behaviour of insects around farms, particularly bees and butterflies.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1 & 2
- B. Only 1 & 3
- C. Only 2 & 3
- D. 1,2 and 3

ANSWER: D

15. India had approved commercial cultivation of which GM crop?

- A. Bt. Brinjal
- B. Bt. Rice
- C. Bt. Cotton
- D. None of these

ANSWER: C

16. Consider the following statements:

- 1. India and Namibia signed a memorandum of understanding (MoU) for the reintroduction of Cheetahs.
- 2. They will be introduced in the Kuno-Palpur National Park in Karnataka.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1& 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2.

ANSWER: A

17. Consider the following statements:

1. The Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006 also known as the Forest Rights Act.

2. According to the study report, the income basket of the beneficiaries has increased due to the provisions of rights under Forest Rights Act.

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Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1& 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2.

ANSWER: C

18. Consider the following statements:

- 1. The Ministry of New and Renewable Energy (MNRE) awards contracts for setting up windenergy projects.
- 2. India has committed to installing 60,000 MW of wind power projects by 2022, but has met only two thirds of the target till now.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1 & 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2

ANSWER: C

19. Consider the following statements:

- 1. Recently, India has designated Five new wetlands of international importance, three wetlands in Tamil Nadu, one each in Mizoram and Madhya Pradesh.
- 2. The Ramsar sites have been increased from 49 to 54.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1 & 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2

ANSWER: C

20. Consider the following statements:

- 1. Recently, Antarctica's Light-mantled Albatross has been found near Odisha coast.
- 2. It is Listed as a 'Near Threatened' species by the ICUN.

Which of the following statements is/are incorrect?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1 & 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2

ANSWER: A

21. Recently, a 20 million years old Fossil wood has been found in which Fossil Wood Park?

- A. Fossil Wood Park, Puducherry
- B. Suketi Fossil Park, Himachal Pradesh
- C. Akal Wood Fossil Park, West Bengal.
- D. Mandla Plant Fossils National Park, Madhya Pradesh.

ANSWER: A

22. Consider the following statements

- 1. The Tiger reserves of India were set up in 1973 and are governed by Project Tiger, which is administrated by the National Tiger Conservation Authority.
- 2. According to the latest Tiger Census of 2018-19 conducted in India, 2,967 Tigers live in the country.
- 3. The combined area of Guru Ghasidas National Park (Sanjay National Park) and Tamor Pingla Wildlife Sanctuary of Chhattisgarh have been designated as India's 53rd Tiger Reserve.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1 & 2
- B. Only 2 & 3
- C. Both 1 & 3
- D. 1,2 and 3

ANSWER: D

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- 1. Consider the following statements:
- 1. The National Dairy Development Board (NDDB) is reengaging itself to develop the edible oil cooperatives and fruit and vegetable (F&V) sector in the country on the lines of dairy cooperative model.
- 2. In the 1980s, NDDB was instrumental in setting up edible oil cooperatives across the country.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1& 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2.

ANSWER: C

- 2. Recently, India is exploring avenues for jointly investing in advanced processing facilities for lithium with which Country?
- A. Australia
- B. New Zealand
- C. United Kingdom
- D. Canada

ANSWER: A

- 3. Recently, Typhoon Aere has made landfall in which Country?
- A. Australia
- B. Japan
- C. Chile
- D. USA

ANSWER: B

- 4. Consider the following statements about the Ken-Betwa River linking project:
- 1. The project aims to transfer surplus water from the Betwa River to the Ken basin.
- 2. The project aims to irrigate India's worst drought-prone Bagelkhand region.
- 3. It will submerge the Kanha Tiger Reserve in Madhya Pradesh.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1 & 2
- B. Only 2 & 3
- C. 1,2 and 3
- D. None of these

ANSWER: D

- 5. Which Port becomes the first 100% Landlord Major Port of India?
- A. Vishakhapatnam Port
- B. Kandla Port

- C. Jawaharlal Nehru Port
- D. Kochi Port

ANSWER: C

- 6. Consider the following statements:
- 1. Chaprah, an indigenous food delicacy found in the tribal regions of the country.
- 2. Chaprah or a chutney also known as 'The Kai' in Odisha is made from red weaver ant.
- 3. In Odisha, scientists through their research are trying for the geographical indications (GI) registry of Kai Chutney.

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Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1 & 2
- B. Only 2 & 3
- C. 1,2 and 3
- D. None of these

ANSWER: C

- 7. Recently, GI Tag has been given to White Onion of which State?
- A. Odisha
- B. Andhra Pradesh
- C. Maharashtra
- D. Telangana

ANSWER: C

8. Recently, Govt. proposes amendments in which Cantonments Act for greater democratization of Cantonment Boards?

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- A. Cantonments Act, 1864
- B. Cantonments Act, 2006
- C. Cantonments Act, 1889
- D. Cantonments Act, 1924

ANSWER: B

ART & CULTURE PRACTICE MCQS

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1. Consider the following pairs:

| Sr. N. | Name of the Deity | Name of the Chariot |
|--------|-------------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Jagannath | Nandighosha |
| 2 | Balabhadra | Taladhwaja |
| 3 | Subhadra | Darpadalana |

How many pairs given above are correctly matched?

- A. Only one pair
- B. Only two pairs
- C. None of the pairs
- D. All three pairs

ANSWER: D

- 2. Which is the world's only university which offers courses in folk arts and culture?
- A. Maharshtra Janapada Vishwavidyalaya
- B. Karnataka Janapada Vishwavidyalaya
- C. Kerala Janapada Vishwavidyalaya
- D. Odisha Janapada Vishwavidyalaya

ANSWER: B

- 3. Recently, Kutchi community has celebrated their new year. This community belongs to which State?
- A. Karnataka
- B. Kerala
- C. Gujarat
- D. Manipur

ANSWER: C

- 4. Kharchi Puja is celebrated in which State?
- A. Meghalaya
- B. Mizoram
- C. Tripura
- D. Assam

ANSWER: C

5. Recently, PM addresses birth centenary celebration of which Saint, related to Ramakrishna Mission?

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- A. Swami Vivekanand
- B. Swami Atmasthananda
- C. Swami Vijnanananda
- D. None of the above

ANSWER: B

6. UNESCO World Heritage site of Hampi is situated in which State?

- A. Odisha
- B. Madhya Pradesh
- C. Maharashtra
- D. Karnataka

ANSWER: D

- 7. According to the Hindu calendar, Guru Purnima generally falls on which Hindu month?
- A. Bhadra
- B. Ashadha
- C. Pausha
- D. Ashwin

ANSWER: B

- 8. Recently, Bonalu festival is celebrated at which place?
- A. Hyderabad
- B. Guwahati
- C. Bengaluru
- D. Chennai

ANSWER: A

- 9. Consider the correct statement/statements about Balamani Amma.
- A. She is known as the 'amma' (mother) and 'muthassi' (grandmother), of Malayalam poetry.
- B. She was the recipient of various awards and honours like the Padma Bhushan, the Sahitya Akademi Award and the Saraswati Samman.
- C. Her other well-known works were Amma, Mazhuvinte Katha (The Story of the Axe), and Sandhya.
- D. All of the above

ANSWER: D

10. Aadi Krithigai is an important festival celebrated in the Murugan Temples. These Temples are in which State?

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- A. Andhra Pradesh
- B. Telangana
- C. Kerala
- D. Tamil Nadu

ANSWER: D

HEALTH PRACTICE MCQS

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- 1. Which Institute has bagged patent for cancer detection system for early and effective identification of prostate cancer?
- A. PGIMER, Chandigarh
- B. SII, Pune
- C. AIIMS, Delhi
- D. Indian institute of health management research, Jaipur

ANSWER: C

- 2. Recently, a grant of Rs 10 crore is given by Government for Integrative medicine research involving Ayurveda and yoga. Which Institute had received this grant?
- A. AIIMS, Delhi
- B. PGIMER, Chandigarh
- C. NIMHANS, Bangalore
- D. AIIMS, Bilaspur

ANSWER: C

- 3. The State of Food Security and Nutrition in the World (SOFI) report is published by?
- A. Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO)
- B. The International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD),
- C. The United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF)
- D. All of the above

ANSWER: D

- 4. Consider the following statements:
- 1. The seven-member committee is formed to repeal the 125-year-old the Epidemic Diseases Act of 1897.

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2. The new Public Health Act, proposed to be enacted under Entries 13 and 14 of Seventh Schedule and Article 253 of the Constitution, seeks to strengthen public health governance in India.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Only 1 & 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2

ANSWER: C

- 5. Which Indian Pharma Company recently launches top anti-diabetic drug after US pharma major Merck drug's Sitagliptin, fell off Patent?
- A. Zydus Lifesciences
- B. Nicholas Piramal
- C. Sun Pharma
- D. Cipla Ltd.

ANSWER: A

6. Recently, the Health Department has sounded alert over reports of some deadly Flies that have entered the states of Sikkim, Bihar and West Bengal. What is the name of that of Fly?

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- A. Congo fly
- B. Rhodesian fly
- C. Nairobi fly
- D. Ethiopian fly

ANSWER: C

- 7. National Plastic Surgery Day is to be observed on?
- A. July 15
- B. June 15
- C. July 12
- D. June 12

ANSWER: A

- 8. 'Har Ghar Dastak' initiative is related to?
- A. It is the of initiative from urban development Authorities to collect garbage from every House.
- B. It is the initiative of CSO to collect data about the Citizens from every Household.
- C. It is the vaccination exercise for COVID19.
- D. None of these

ANSWER: C

- 9. The First-Ever 'Made in India' surgical robotic system to be installed at?
- A. Rajiv Gandhi Institute and Research Center, New Delhi
- B. Indira Gandhi Medical College, Shimla
- C. Postgraduate Institute of Medical Education and Research (PGIMER), Chandigarh
- D. Indian Cancer Research Center, Mumbai

ANSWER: A

10. Consider the following statements:

- 1. NITI Aayog and the World Food Program released a report "Take Home Ration-Good Practices across the State/Union Territories."
- 2. The Take Home Rations (THR) programme, is a part of the Supplementary Nutrition Programme (SNP) under ICDS, which offers fortified rations for use at home.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1& 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2.

ANSWER: C

- 11. Recently, African swine fever is reported in which State?
- A. Kerala
- B. Andhra Pradesh

- C. Tamil Nadu
- D. Karnataka

ANSWER: A

12. Consider the following statements:

- 1. Recently, the Lumpy Skin Disease (LSD) has caused death of nearly 1000 bovines in Gujarat and Rajasthan.
- 2. Lumpy skin is a Bacterial disease.

Which of the following statements is/are incorrect?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1 & 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2

ANSWER: B



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STATE NEWS PRACTICE MCQS

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- 1. Recently, which government has launched 'Kashi Yatra' scheme?
- A. Himachal Pradesh
- B. Andhra Pradesh
- C. Karnataka
- D. Maharashtra

ANSWER: C

- 2. Recently, Anthrax, an infectious disease which affects domestic as well as wild animals, was reported in which State?
- A. Himachal Pradesh
- B. Kerala
- C. Karnataka
- D. Maharashtra

ANSWER: B

- 3. Recently, which State has implemented special grant scheme to encourage the cultivation of dragon fruit?
- A. Rajasthan
- B. Punjab
- C. Haryana
- D. Uttarakhand

ANSWER: C

- 4. Consider the following statements:
- 1. The Karnataka Global Investors Meet and the Bengaluru Tech Summit to be held in November.

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2. Karnataka invited the Korean delegation to participate in the Summit.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1& 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2.

ANSWER: C

- 5. Which becomes the first state in the country to have 13 expressways?
- A. Madhya Pradesh
- B. Rajasthan
- C. Uttar Pradesh
- D. Karnataka

ANSWER: C

6. Consider the following statements:

1. There was a proposal to set up the Mega Integrated Textile Region and Apparel Park, under the PM-MITRA scheme, near the Mattewara forest in Punjab.

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2. Recently, the Punjab Government has approved this project.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Only 1 & 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2

ANSWER: A

- 7. Recently, the Himachal Government has signed an agreement with which Company to enable drone delivery within the State?
- A. Garud Air
- B. Skye Air Mobility
- C. Hans Air Mobility
- D. NABAC

ANSWER: B

- 8. Recently, which State government has decided to restart the scheme "Vidyalaya Chalo Abhiyan"?
- A. Kerala
- B. Odisha
- C. Tripura
- D. Madhya Pradesh

ANSWER: C

- 9. Which State has recently celebrated the Centenary of its Legislative Assembly?
- A. Andhra Pradesh
- B. Madhya Pradesh
- C. Maharashtra
- D. Bihar

ANSWER: D

10. Which of the following State to become the first in the country to hoist tricolour at every house, government, private, industrial and educational buildings?

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- A. Punjab
- B. Haryana
- C. Uttar Pradesh
- D. Sikkim

ANSWER: B

- 11. Consider the following pairs:
- 1. Kerala becomes first state to have own internet service.
- 2. Kerala Fiber Optic Network Ltd is a state government initiative that aims to eliminate the digital gap.

Which of the following statements is/are incorrect?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1& 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2.

ANSWER: D

12. Which State has recently decided to set up 'Footwear-Leather' cluster on 500 acres?

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- A. Haryana
- B. Punjab
- C. Uttar Pradesh
- D. Bihar

ANSWER: A

13. Which State gets the country's first Al-powered tool for fast disposal of cases at Lok Adalat?

- A. Himachal Pradesh
- B. Punjab
- C. Madhya Pradesh
- D. Rajasthan

ANSWER: D

14. Which State has launched first-ever blackbuck survey on Godavari islands?

- A. Karnataka
- B. Tamil Nadu
- C. Andhra Pradesh
- D. None of these

ANSWER: C

15. Recently, the Burhanpur becomes the first Har Ghar Jal certified district in the country. This Burhanpur district is in which State?

- A. Uttar Pradesh
- B. Madhya Pradesh
- C. Maharashtra
- D. Kerala

ANSWER: B

16. The Kali Bein River is in which State?

- A. West Bengal
- B. Odisha
- C. Telangana
- D. Punjab

ANSWER: D

17. Which State/ UT has recently launched E-Beat system to Prevent Crime?

- A. Himachal Pradesh
- B. Haryana
- C. Chandigarh
- D. Jammu and Kashmir

ANSWER: B

- 18. Israel to cooperate in water conservation and management projects with which Indian State?
- A. Punjab
- B. Haryana
- C. Rajasthan
- D. Telangana

ANSWER: B

- 19. Which State to implement 'Atmanibhar Textile Policy 2022'?
- A. Punjab
- B. Haryana
- C. Gujrat
- D. West Bengal

ANSWER: B

- 20. Recently, Prime Minister has launched India's first International Bullion Exchange (IIBE) in which State?
- A. Gujarat
- B. Karnataka
- C. Andhra Pradesh
- D. Madhya Pradesh

ANSWER: A

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SPORTS PRACTICE MCQS

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- 1. Which Indian Athlete sets new national record in women's 3000 m event in Los Angeles?
- A. Hima Das
- B. Parul Chaudhary
- C. Dutee Chand
- D. O.P Jaisha

ANSWER: B

- 2. Who becomes the first Arab woman to enter a Wimbledon single semi-final?
- A. Selima Sfar
- B. Ons Jabeur
- C. Soha Sadiq
- D. Fatima Al-Nabhani

ANSWER: B

- 3. Recently, Alfiya Pathan and Gitika won gold medals at the inaugural edition of the Elorda Cup in Nur-Sultan, Kazakhstan. The Elorda Cup is associated with?
- A. Wrestling
- B. Boxing
- C. Archery
- D. Weightlifting

ANSWER: B

- 4. Consider the following statements about the Wimbledon 2022:
- 1. Novak Djokovic beats Nick Kyrgios to win 7th Wimbledon title.
- 2. Elena Rybakina became the first player from Kazakhstan to win a Grand Slam title.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1 & 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2

ANSWER: C

5. Who has beaten the Tokyo Olympics silver medallist Lucas Kozeniesky of America to win the men's 10m Air Rifle event in the ISSF World Cup?

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- A. Arjun Babuta
- B. Vijay Pandit
- C. Vikas Dahiya
- D. None of the above

ANSWER: A

6. Who has won the Paracin Open chess title?

- B. R. Praggnanandhaa
- C. Magnus Carlsen
- D. None of these.

ANSWER: B

- 7. The 131st edition of the Durand Cup tournament will be started in august 2022. The Durand Cup is related to?
- A. Cricket
- B. Golf
- C. Table tennis
- D. Football

ANSWER: D

- 8. Who among the following has/have won the silver medal at ISSF World Cup?
- A. Anish Bhanwala
- B. Vijayveer Sidhu
- C. Sameer
- D. All of the above

ANSWER: D

- 9. Recently, which Football player is named African Player of the Year?
- A. Mohamed Salah
- B. Sadio Mané
- C. Edouard Mendy
- D. None of these

ANSWER: B

10. Who has clinched India's first-ever silver medal in javelin throw in World Athletics Championships?

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- A. Annu Rani
- B. Shivpal Singh
- C. Neeraj Chopra
- D. None of these

ANSWER: C

- 11. Who becomes first woman in India to successfully climb Mt Everest and Mt Makalu in just 16 days?
- A. Annu Rani
- B. Savita Kanswal
- C. Sarita
- D. Amritpal Kaur

ANSWER: B

- 12. Recently, which Formula One world champion has announced his retirement?
- A. Sebastian Vettel

B. William Alexander Albon

C. Max Verstappen

D. Serigo Perez

ANSWER: A

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- 1. Which country has given its highest order posthumously to former Prime Minister of Japan, Shinzo Abe?
- A. Japan
- B. India
- C. Germany
- D. France

ANSWER: A

- 2. Recently, Japan's 'Order of the Rising Sun' award has been conferred to?
- A. Shiv Kumar
- B. Tapan Sinha
- C. Narayanan Kumar
- D. None of the above

ANSWER: C

- 3. Who was felicitated with the 'Best IAS Officer award' at News Maker Achiever's Award, a prominent and prestigious award organised by Mumbai's Afternoon Voice Newspaper?
- A. Ashish Chauhan
- B. Prince Dhawan
- C. Dr Adarsh Singh
- D. Devansh Yadav

ANSWER: A

- 4. Which movie bagged the national awards for the Best Feature Film, at the 68th National Film Awards-2020?
- A. Soorarai Pottru
- B. Tanhaji
- C. Manikarnika
- D. Hellaro

ANSWER: A

- 5. Who has become the first Asian to receive the Suriname's highest civilian honour?
- A. Narinder Modi
- B. Chandrikapersad Santokhi
- C. Amartya Sen
- D. Sri Sri Ravi Shankar

ANSWER: D

- 6. Who has recently turned down the Banga Bibhushan award, the highest civilian honour conferred by the West Bengal government?
- A. Amartya Sen
- B. Riya Sen
- C. Abhijit Vinayak Banerjee
- D. Sourav Ganguly

ANSWER: A

HIMACHAL PRADESH PRACTICE MCQS

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- 1. Consider the following statements:
- 1. Himachal Pradesh is categorised as the achievers in ease-of-doing- business ranking of states, UTs.
- 2. This ranking is based on the implementation of the business reform action plan 2020.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1& 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2.

ANSWER: C

- 2. Which District is featured in 'Uttam' category on performance index by Education Department?
- A. Mandi
- B. Chamba
- C. Shimla
- D. Una

ANSWER: A

- 3. A cultural programme, 'Sindhu Darshan 2022' was held in which District of Himachal Pradesh?
- A. Mandi
- B. Kinnaur
- C. Shimla
- D. Bilaspur

ANSWER: D

- 4. Consider the following statements:
- 1. The Shikari Mata temple is situated in the Seraj Assembly constituency of Mandi district.
- 2. It is situated at an elevation of around 11,000 feet above sea level.
- 3. Temple of Shikari Mata is roofless.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1& 2
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1& 3
- D. 1,2 and 3

ANSWER: D

- 5. Which is the Country's highest village, which gets the tap water recently under Jal Jeevan Mission?
- A. Tashigang village in Spiti
- B. Komic village in Spiti
- C. Lachen village, Sikkim
- D. None of these

ANSWER: A

- 6. Which State has bagged the first position among Himalayan and North-Eastern states in disbursing loan under PM SVANidhi Scheme?
- A. Nagaland
- B. Mizoram
- C. Manipur
- D. Himachal Pradesh

ANSWER: D

- 7. The first heritage village of the Himachal Pradesh is in which District?
- A. Kangra
- B. Mandi
- C. Shimla
- D. Solan

ANSWER: A

- 8. Who is appointed as the Information Commissioner of Himachal Pradesh?
- A. SS Guleria
- B. R.D Dhiman
- C. K.S Katoch
- D. Ajay Kumar Sharma

ANSWER: A

- 9. 'Naari Ko Naman' scheme is launched by which State?
- A. Himachal Pradesh
- B. Uttarakhand
- C. Uttar Pradesh
- D. Rajasthan

ANSWER: A

- 10. Consider the following statements about rooftop solar power plants in Himachal Pradesh:
- 1. To encourage domestic consumers, the government has proposed to enhance the subsidy from Rs 4,000 per kw to Rs 6,000 per kw this year.
- 2. The Centre has fixed a target of 10 megawatt for the state through roof-top solar panels by 2030.

Which of the following statements is/are incorrect?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1& 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2.

ANSWER: B

11. Recently, Darla gram panchayat has established the Aadi Shiv Dham on barren land at a cost of over Rs 60 lakh. Darla gram panchayat is in which district of Himachal Pradesh?

- A. Mandi
- B. Kangra
- C. Hamirpur
- D. Una

ANSWER: C

12. Himachal Pradesh has obtained which position for implementation of the National Food Security Act (NFSA)?

- A. First
- B. Second
- C. Third
- D. Fourth

ANSWER: B

13. Consider the following statements:

- 1. Under the STARS (strengthening teachers and result for states) project, entrepreneurship mindset courses will be started in Mandi District.
- 2. Rs 650 crore would be received in five years under the STARS project for language improvement, increasing pass percentage in Class X, vocational training and several other indicators.

Which of the following statements is/are incorrect?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1& 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2.

ANSWER: A

14. Recently, the foundation stone of a cow sanctuary is laid in which District?

- A. Mandi
- B. Una
- C. Kangra
- D. Bilaspur

ANSWER: B

15. Recently, which initiative of Himachal Pradesh has made it to the Asia Book of Records and the India Book of Records?

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- A. Joint United Action for Resilience in Emergencies (JUARE)
- B. Kulluvi Nati
- C. Kangra Painting Exhibition
- D. None of these

ANSWER: A

- 16. The Himachal Pradesh Government is pushing which district's inclusion in the Amritsar Kolkata Industrial Corridor (AKIC) project?
- A. Solan
- B. Bilaspur

2. The products like Kullu caps, Chamba plates are sold under the brand name of 'SonChiraiya'.

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20. Recently, the demand for tribal status of Hattees was in news. The Hattees community belong to which

21. Indian Institute of Information Technology (IIIT) is situated in which district of Himachal Pradesh?

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Which of the following statements is/are correct?

A. Only 1

B. Only 2C. Both 1& 2

ANSWER: C

A. ShimlaB. SirmaurC. ChambaD. Kinnaur

ANSWER: B

D. Neither 1 nor 2.

district of Himachal Pradesh?

A. Shimla B. Sirmaur C. Chamba D. Una

ANSWER: D

- 22. Under the Go Green Initiative of the Union and State governments, 417 households in which district have installed roof top solar power plants and received a subsidy amounting to Rs 5.4 crores?
- A. Una
- B. Sirmaur
- C. Chamba
- D. Mandi

ANSWER: A

- 23. Which city in Himachal Pradesh will soon have 10 charging stations for electric cars and two-wheelers?
- A. Dharamsala
- B. Shimla
- C. Mandi
- D. None of the above

ANSWER: A

24. Consider the following statements:

- 1. About 9.44 lakh hectares of land is under cultivation in the state and it contributes about 13.62 percent of the GDP.
- 2. Prakritik Kheti, Khushhal Kisan Yojna is being implemented by the state government to encourage natural farming.

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Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2.
- C. Both 1 & 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2

ANSWER: C

- 25. Who has been recently appointed as Chief Secretary of Himachal Pradesh?
- A. Ram Subhag Singh
- B. VC Pharka
- C. BK Aggarwal
- D. RD Dhiman

ANSWER: D

- 26. Recently, Himachal Pradesh government has approved the signing of a loan agreement with Asian Development Bank (ADB) for the Rs 1,098.89 crore for which Project?
- A. Rural Water Improvement and Livelihood Project.
- B. Urban Water Improvement and Livelihood Project.

- C. Forest Conservation Project.
- D. None of these

ANSWER: A

27. Consider the following statements:

- 1. Larsen and Toubro (L&T) conducted the first survey to repair damaged temples in the Govind Sagar Lake in Bilaspur district.
- 2. The state government has envisaged a project of Rs 1,400 crore for the repair of the temples submerged in the Govind Sagar Lake.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1& 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2.

ANSWER: C

28. Consider the following statements about the National Institutional Ranking Framework (NIRF), 2022.

- 1. The Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Mandi, has been ranked No. 20 among all the engineering institutes of the country in the India Rankings 2022.
- 2. The institute climbed 35 positions to capture the 41st rank in overall category of the rankings.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1& 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2.

ANSWER: A

29. The state government has awarded the silver medal to which district in the tuberculosis (TB) eradication programme?

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- A. Chamba
- B. Shimla
- C. Una
- D. Mandi

ANSWER: D

30. Consider the following statements:

- 1. The Chamba administration aims to make the district tobacco-free by 2025.
- 2. Tobacco-free panchayat would be given a cash award of Rs five lakh.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1& 2

D. Neither 1 nor 2.

ANSWER: C

- 31. The Residential International Festival for Theatre (DRIFT) recently concluded at which Place of Himachal Pradesh?
- A. Chamba
- B. Shimla
- C. Dharamsala
- D. Mandi

ANSWER: C

32. Consider the following statements about Panchavati Parks:

- 1. The project was launched in 2020 under which four to six parks would be set up in all 70 blocks.
- 2. Each park will have jogging track, walking tracks, benches, space for yoga and meditation, toilets, and recreational equipment.
- 3. Ayurvedic and medicinal plants such as amla, neem, tulsi and aloe vera and shade grass (lawn) will be grown in the parks.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1 & 2
- B. Only 1 & 3
- C. Only 2 & 3
- D. 1,2 and 3

ANSWER: D

- 33. The Central Government will provide a financial assistance of Rs 1,600 crore through which institution for the Himachal Pradesh Power Sector Development Programme?
- A. World Bank
- B. Asian Development Bank
- C. New Development Bank
- D. European Development Bank

ANSWER: A

- 34. Which State has become first in country to launch Vehicle location Tracking Device, Emergency Panic Button System and Command Control Centre?
- A. Himachal Pradesh
- B. Uttarakhand
- C. Punjab
- D. Maharashtra

ANSWER: A

- 35. An entrepreneurship centre named after Dr Bhimrao Ambedkar will be established in which Institution?
- A. Himachal Pradesh University, Shimla
- B. NIT, Hamirpur
- C. IIT, Mandi

D. None of these

ANSWER: A

36. Who has received the prestigious Pt Deen Dyal Antodya Krishi Puruskar?

- A. Narendra Sharma
- B. Vijay Saklani
- C. Kundan Lal
- D. None of these.

ANSWER: C

37. Consider the following statements about the Atal Shresth Shahar Yojna (ASSY):

- 1. Kullu and Nahan were adjudged the best municipal council of 2021 and 2020, respectively.
- 2. In municipal council category, first, second and third placed towns were awarded Rs 1 crore, Rs 75 lakh and Rs 50 lakh, respectively.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1& 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2.

ANSWER: C

- 38. Recently, which District Administration has launched an initiative to provide highly nutritious packaged food at Anganwari centres for children and expecting and lactating mothers?
- A. Mandi
- B. Una
- C. Shimla
- D. Chamba

ANSWER: B

- 39. The 3-D animated centre to be set up at which temple in Himachal Pradesh?
- A. Masroor Rock Cut Temple
- B. Chamunda Devi Temple
- C. Baglamukhi Temple
- D. Chintpurni Temple

ANSWER: D

- 40. Recently, the three-day trout fair commences at which place in Himachal Pradesh?
- A. Shimla
- B. Manali
- C. Kullu
- D. Dharamshala

ANSWER: B

41. Consider the following statements:

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1 & 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2

ANSWER: C

- 42. Recently, a joint venture agreement has been signed between the state government and Airports Authority of India (AAI) for construction of which Greenfield Airport in Himachal Pradesh?
- A. Mandi
- B. Chamba
- C. Lahaul & Spiti
- D. Kinnaur

ANSWER: A

- 43. Museum of wood culture to come up in which district?
- A. Kullu
- B. Mandi
- C. Shimla
- D. Kangra

ANSWER: A

44. Recently, a loan of Rs 770 Cr for safe drinking water project in Himachal Pradesh is given by which institution?

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- A. ADB
- B. World Bank
- C. AIIB
- D. NDB

ANSWER: A

- 45. The government has approved two solar parks in which districts of Himachal Pradesh?
- A. Chamba and Shimla
- B. Kullu and Mandi
- C. Kangra and sirmaur
- D. Lahaul & Spiti and Kinnaur

ANSWER: D

- 46. According to Fisheries Department, how many Districts in Himachal Pradesh are suitable for cold water fisheries?
- A. Five

- B. Six
- C. Seven
- D. Eight

ANSWER: D

47. The NITI Aayog has given a Rs 3 crore award to which district of H.P. for its outstanding Performance under the Aspirational District Programme?

- A. Solan
- B. Sirmaur
- C. Chamba
- D. Hamirpur

ANSWER: C

48. Recently, 22-day camp on robotics, AI (PRAYAS 1) held at?

- A. IIIT, Una
- B. NIT, Hamirpur
- C. HPU, Shimla
- D. IIT-Mandi.

ANSWER: D

49. Consider the following statements

- 1. Recently, the fall armyworm has damaged the maize crop in the Kangra district.
- 2. Vegetable crops are under attack by white fly in the lower hills of Kangra district

Which of the following statements is/are incorrect?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1 & 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2

ANSWER: D

50. Consider the following statements

- 1. The Aryabhatta Geo-informatics & Space Application Centre (AGiSAC) was established under aegis of the HP Council for Science Technology & Environment (HIMCOSTE) in the year 2011.
- 2. Recently, The Cabinet gave approval for declaring the Aryabhatta Geo Informatics and Space Application Centre as the nodal agency for the use of spatial and geo spatial technology in planning and development activities by various departments.

Which of the following statements is/are correct?

- A. Only 1
- B. Only 2
- C. Both 1 & 2
- D. Neither 1 nor 2

ANSWER: C

51. Recently, The Shravan Ashtami fair begins at which temple of Himachal Pradesh?

- A. Chintpurni
- B. Jawalaji
- C. Naina Devi
- D. Chamunda Devi

ANSWER: A

52. The Progressive Himachal event to be held at which district of Himachal Pradesh?

- A. Mandi
- B. Solan
- C. Chamba
- D. Hamirpur

ANSWER: C



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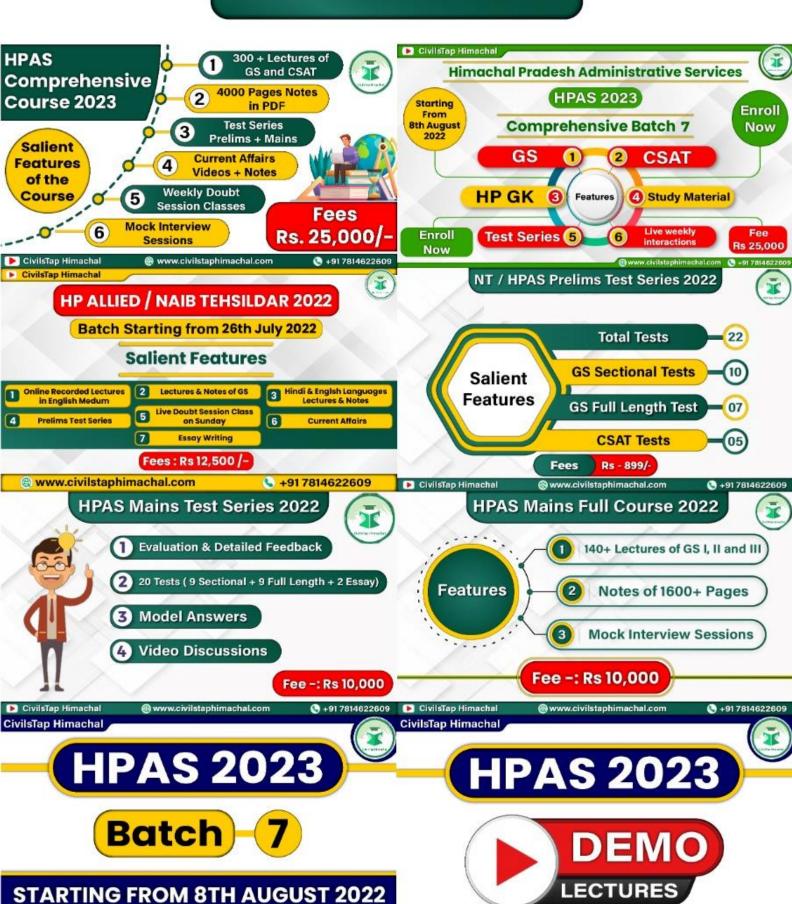


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